

The Women of Brazos County Have SEVEN More Days in Which to Register.

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VELEDARSKY MURDER IS SYMPTOM OF DISCONTENT

Bolsheviki Commissioner for Press Affairs Was Killed and the Act is Regarded as the First Against Them in a Program of Terrorism by the Social Revolutionists.

(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—The murder of S. M. Velebarsky, bolsheviki commissioner for press affairs, is considered as a symptom of the growing discontent among the workmen. The bolsheviki regard his assassination as the first act against them of terrorism by social revolutionists.

BOLSHEVIKI CARRY ELECTION.
(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—A Russian dispatch says 32 bolsheviki were elected out of 34 offices to be filled in Petrograd elections.

CZAR'S CONDITION.
(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—Reports of the murder of the former czar neither can be proven nor disproved, says the Times Petrograd correspondent.

RED GUARDS KILLED.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Advices received here state that several Red Guards were killed when Czech-Slavs ousted the bolsheviki at Vladivostok.

ARCHANGEL OFFICIALS ARRESTED.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Arrests of members of the Archangel provincial government by the bolsheviki is reported by Ambassador Francis. The duma at Vologna is also threatened with arrest.

SIXTY FIVE DEAD AND EIGHTY INJURED IN TNT EXPLOSIONS

Million Dollars Loss Occasioned by Uncontrollable Fire in Syracuse War Munitions Plant.

(By Associated Press)
Syracuse, July 3.—Sixty-five are now known to be dead in the explosions, a company official reports.

(By Associated Press)
Syracuse, July 3.—The death list in two explosions in a T. N. T. plant making war munitions is now 65. The injured number 80. The damage is \$1,000,000.

The explosions followed a fire that had raged beyond control and spread to the "TNT" vats. Two of these let go, burying many workers under an avalanche of debris and scattered the flames to adjoining buildings. At a late hour last night the flames were burning fiercely and there was danger of more explosions. Volunteer firemen were powerless to stay the progress of the flames. Aid was sent from Syracuse but at midnight the water system broke down.

A shift of 700 workmen was in the plant when the fire, the origin of which has not been ascertained, broke out. The workers made efforts to subdue the flames and later in speeding to safety were brought in the first of the two explosions. Men were hurled in all directions. Two caught between burning buildings were blown through a wall. Still alive when picked up there was not a shred of clothing on their bodies.

The second big explosion followed 15 minutes after the first.

PROFITEERING GROCER FORCED TO DISGORGE AND REPAY CUSTOMERS

(By Associated Press)
New York, July 3.—Four hundred customers of a grocery firm which has been overcharging, received checks from the federal food administration. The store was ordered to close for six weeks or contribute a sum equal to its excess profits to the Red Cross.

LOONEY SAYS JULY 12 LAST DAY TO REGISTER.
(By Associated Press)
Austin, July 3.—Last day on which women may register is July 12, Attorney General Looney holds.

BENNETT HOME FOR NEWSPAPERMEN IS PROVIDED IN WILL

Named in Honor of His Father and Will Give Pecuniary Aid Where Necessary.

(By Associated Press)
New York, July 3.—The will of James Gordon Bennett, owner of the New York Herald, provides for a home for New York newspaper men, the beneficiaries to be recommended by employers.

The home will be known as the James Gordon Bennett home for New York Journalists, in memory of Bennett's father. It also will provide pecuniary aid for newspaper men.

CITIZEN WILSON OF PARIS.
(By Associated Press)
Paris, July 3.—The council is asked to make President Wilson a citizen of Paris.

PANAMA WITHDRAWS ELECTIONS DECREE
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Panama informs the United States that the decree postponing the national assembly elections has been withdrawn. Unrest caused by the postponement had prompted the United States to place troops at Colon and Panama to maintain order.

THIRTY NATIONAL UNITS TO HEAR HIM

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—American citizens representing 30 national units will attend patriotic exercises at Mount Vernon tomorrow, where President Wilson is to speak.

IDEAL JULY 4 WEATHER.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Ideal Fourth of July weather is predicted for most of the country.

SENATE STEADFAST FOR \$2.50 WHEAT

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Another effort to have the senate recede from the \$2.50 maximum wheat price failed, leaving the agricultural bill deadlocked.

WOMEN URGED TO REGISTER.
Wichita Falls, Tex., July 3.—Women members of the Women's Hobby club will canvass the city, beginning Thursday morning to urge the women to register and to vote for Hobby. One hundred and fifty women at a meeting here yesterday pledged themselves for this work.

RED CROSS IN JAPAN.
Tokio, July 3.—The American Red Cross drive in Japan netted over \$50,000, or more than twice the amount pledged by the executive committee of the Japan chapter as its share of the \$100,000,000 fund.

NATIONAL BANK CALL.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—A call has been issued for the condition of national banks June 29.

STUDENTS TO RAISE REGIMENT.
(By Associated Press)
Austin, July 3.—Texas A. and M. students will endeavor to raise one of the three new regiments of Texas infantry.

Senator Tillman Died in Washington After 24 Years in Congress

CHINESE GOODS SENT TO RUSSIA TO FALL INTO GERMAN HANDS

China Has Removed the Embargo That Was Established to Prevent Germans Getting Goods.

(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—The Daily Mail prints a dispatch from its Harbin correspondent saying goods such as are badly needed by the German government are being sent to Russia by Chinese merchants and are almost certain to fall into German hands. China has removed its embargo on shipments to Russia, originally forbidden to complete eastern blockade of Germans, the dispatch says.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN COMMAND CHANGED

(By Associated Press)
Zurich, July 3.—Important changes in the Austro-Hungarian command in the Italian theater have been made. Field Marshal Hoetzendorf is reported to have been replaced.

25,000 STUDENT NURSES ARE WANTED

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—A call for 25,000 student nurses for training in American hospitals has been issued by Surgeon General Gorgas. Women from 19 to 35 are wanted.

BRAZOS CALLED UPON FOR 167 MEN IN JULY

City and county quotas for 18,700 men from Texas under the last three calls of selective draft, to be moved to Camp Travis, San Antonio, was completed Tuesday. There are 8700 white men and 10,000 negroes, the white men to enter during the five-day period beginning July 22; 6000 negroes, beginning July 16, and 4000 negroes beginning July 29.

Brazos county is called up to furnish the following: Negroes to enter July 16, 130; white men to enter July 22, 26; negroes to enter July 29, 1.

PROVIDENCE LEFT BALANCE OF POWER IN HANDS OF U. S.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 3.—"The United States can not, must not, lose this war. The United States, it would seem, has provisionally been left the balance of power in this crisis between democracy and autocracy," declared J. Frank Hanley, former governor of Indiana, in an address here before the thousand or more delegates gathered for the annual conference of the Oklahoma Methodist Assembly. That there is an irreconcilable conflict between the two theories of government was the theme of the talk.

JUNE TEMPERATURE RECORD BREAKS MARK FOR MONTH.

Galveston, July 3.—June, 1918, besides winning the distinction of bringing to Galveston the hottest day of any month whatsoever in the 48 years that local weather records have been kept, has made a further record in that the temperature has been 1.9 degrees hotter, mean temperature, than the normal mean temperature for June should be.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION.

(By Associated Press)
Austin, July 3.—The federal board for vocational education has requested State Superintendent of Schools Doughty to attend a meeting in Washington July 11-14 to consider ways and means of providing vocational rehabilitation of disabled and wounded soldiers and sailors. Congress recently passed a bill for this purpose and appropriated \$2,000,000 to carry out plans.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Senator Benjamin R. Tillman of South Carolina died this morning.

Senator Tillman suffered cerebral hemorrhage several days ago. His death was caused by the upheaval in South Carolina politics. He was in the midst of a heated campaign for re-election, running against former Governor Cole Blaise.

Tillman will probably be succeeded by Swanson of Virginia as head of the naval committee. Senator Tillman served 24 years in congress. Congress is to pay the usual honors.

WOMEN EMPLOYED AS TICKET SELLERS

From Thursday's Daily Eagle
Washington, July 3.—The railroad administration has opened schools in a number of cities to train women to sell tickets at depots and consolidated city offices.

The women ticket sellers will be paid salaries equalling those given men.

BULGARS MASSACRE HELPLESS SERBIANS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—The massacre of 300 Serbian wounded and refugees by Bulgarians at Pritzrend is announced by an official Serbian dispatch.

LOANED THE ALLIES NEAR SEVEN BILLIONS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—A credit of \$100,000,000 was granted to France today, bringing the total credits to the allies to \$6,800,000,000.

NEW EXEMPTION BOARD TOOK OATH

(From Monday's Daily).
Before Fred L. Cavitt, notary public, members of the exemption board took the oath of office this morning and qualified for the positions to which they were appointed by Governor Hobby.

The board immediately organized with Robert Armstrong chairman, A. B. O'Flaherty secretary and Dr. P. M. Rayson, surgeon. They will begin tomorrow on the work of reclassification of drafted men and have special instructions from the war department to take consideration of those who were married since May 18, 1917.

TAKES PLACE OF ANOTHER.

Cuero, Tex., July 3.—An incident has come to light here in connection with the last draftcall which is very much like the story of Damon and Pythias. The local board had exhausted its list of town clerks and had taken up the claims of farmers to select the men who could best be spared from their work. Emil Goehring was among the boys chosen to go and Wallace McCormick was deferred until a later call. Then the word came that Emil had sickness in his family and McCormick went before the board and obtained permission to get Goehring's tag and go in his stead. Goehring was very appreciative of the kindness done him and made arrangements for a star to go on the county's service flag for Wallace.

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Thursday, thunder showers.

MAN WHO RATIONED ENGLAND, VISCOUNT RHONDDA, IS DEAD

Said He Had the Hide of a Rhinoceros and Proved It by Record As Food Administrator.

(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—Viscount Rhondda (David Alfred Thomas), British food administrator, died this morning.

Viscount Rhondda was the man who put England and most of the United Kingdom of Great Britain on rations and won the gratitude even of the people whose food supply he regulated. Before he achieved the task it was generally regarded as all but impossible.

Food was running short in the United Kingdom in June, 1917, when the Baron Rhondda was appointed food controller of Great Britain. The German U-boats were sending ships to the bottom of the ocean and Great Britain was supporting a tremendous army in France. The civilians at home were beginning to feel the pinch. Long queues of men, women and children stood for hours at the food stores in scores of British cities and there was a loud grumble from the public.

The man who as David A. Thomas had been managing director of the great Cambrian coal combine, apparently undertook his task with many misgivings. "I have a suspicion," he told his Welsh friends, "that Lloyd-George conscripted me for this almost impossible job because he knew I had the hide of a rhinoceros."

"I am going there," he added, "as guardian and trustee of the consumer and particularly the poor consumer." He declared that he was determined to stop profiteering and speculation in food.

By fixing the prices he put into effect a policy of controlling the profits of food dealers from the producer down to the retailer.

Transportation in America was snowed out for weeks during the winter of 1917 and America failed to deliver to England the food she had promised. Rhondda met the crisis by fixing the amount of food to be served every person in hotels, restaurants and boarding houses down to the minute fraction. It carried England over the crisis and resulted in his elevation to viscount.

Born at Adare, Wales, March 26, 1856, David A. Thomas was the son of a colliery owner. Succeeding to his father's business he became head of the great Cambrian Combine which controlled many mines producing coal used by the British navy. He was elected to parliament from Cardiff and twice refused to be made a peer. Long before he began to figure in public life he was widely known in America as the "British Coal King." His favorite recreation was in farming.

In 1882 he married Sybil Haig of Penitton and they had one daughter.

22 SAMMIES ARE GIVEN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSSES

(By Associated Press)
With American Army in France, July 3.—The distinguished service cross was awarded by General Pershing to 22 soldiers of the American expeditionary forces. Seven officers are included. The awards were made as a result of operations at Cantigny, Chateau-Thierry and Lorraine.

PRESIDENT TO GREET WOUNDED SOLDIERS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—A message of personal greetings from President Wilson will be delivered to every wounded soldier in British hospitals tomorrow.

RETAIL CONTROL OF PULLMAN COMPANY

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Decision to retain control of the Pullman company is announced by the railroad administration in the order increasing the wages of conductors, porters and maids.

PERSHING REPORTS THE PRACTICAL ANNIHILATION OF A GERMAN REGIMENT

Americans Fought Terrifically But Were Gentle-men Afterwards, According to an Admission of a Prisoner --- French Have Advanced Their Line and Improved Their Position.

CLOSING OF STORES IS AN EXPRESSION OF REAL PATRIOTISM

Golf Tournament at the Country Club at 4 p. m. --- Two Baseball Games at the College

The Fourth of July in the city of Bryan will not be observed in any particular manner. The college and the Country club promise the only events of importance. In fact, there is no systematic plan for closing the stores, the request from the business club to the mayor for a proclamation closing the stores having come too late in the opinion of the mayor, to give notice to country people. Hence, those who close will do so as an expression of the way they feel about celebrating the day and will act from the prompts of their own hearts as patriotic citizens.

Chairman Travis Bryan of the Red Cross golf tournament to be held at the Country club beginning at 4 o'clock in the evening, says there is a promise of a large number of entries, at \$1 each, the money to go to the Red Cross. Entries will not be confined to Country club members, hence it is expected that a large number from outside will be on hand. Nor will anybody's dollar or \$100, as the player may choose to give, be refused up to the time the last stroke shall have been made. It will be a handicapped tournament the handicaps to be arranged after the entries shall have been made.

At the college there have been rumors of a dress parade or something of the sort in the morning, but up to the time this was written confirmation of it was lacking. But there will be a couple of ball games in the afternoon on the college baseball grounds between different of the soldiers' organizations.

BERLIN SAYS A SUB DID NOT SINK THE HOSPITAL STEAMER

(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—A Berlin semi-official note denies the hospital ship Llandovery Castle was sunk by a submarine. It says, like all British admiralty reports, this is incorrect and suggests that a British mine was responsible for the ship's loss.

DUTCH CABINET HAS SENT RESIGNATIONS

(By Associated Press)
Rotterdam, July 3.—The Dutch cabinet members will place their resignations before Queen Wilhelmina tomorrow, says the Rotterdam Courant.

MAKING 27,000,000 CARTRIDGES A DAY

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Twenty-seven million cartridges were manufactured June 27 for the government in all plants, not including those for the allies. This is a new production record.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—Practical annihilation of a German regiment by Americans at Vaux is confirmed by General Pershing's communique. The Americans captured over 60 machine guns.

The total number of Germans captured by the Americans is now estimated to number about 500, including seven officers.

Many groups of prisoners have been sent to the rear. Others have been located in hospitals, where they were taken after being wounded.

The German counter attack which was fiercely conducted was launched against the American positions at 3 o'clock this morning. It resulted in the Americans further increasing their number of prisoners. Virtually the remainder of the enemy attacking force was annihilated.

The Americans reached every one of their objectives and by this operation they have eliminated a salient and have straightened out their line. Over an area of several miles the Americans now have the enemy under their guns.

The attack by the Americans on the Vaux positions was so terrific they swept right through the enemy lines and had their object been to continue the advance they could have done so with the greatest ease, as virtually everything before them had been cleared. So great was the enthusiasm of the men the officers in some cases had to look sharp to keep them from going beyond the set objectives.

All the prisoners questioned expressed their relief at being captured. One, speaking excellent English, said to the correspondent:

"Thank the Lord I'm out of there! The American artillery smothered us more than once and the infantrymen fight like wild devils without a single fear, but when the fight is finished they are gentlemen. One could have killed me but did not and I gave him my iron cross for my thanks."

AMERICAN AVIATORS CONGRATULATED.
(By Associated Press)

With American Army in France, July 3.—American aviators have been congratulated for keeping the air practically free of German fliers during the attack on Vaux.

North of Chateau-Thierry nine German and nine American planes fought a battle yesterday morning. The Germans lost three and two Americans have not returned.

AMERICAN CASUALTY LIST.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 3.—The army casualty list contains 85 names: Killed in action 18, died of wounds 9, died from accident and other causes 6, died of disease 4, wounded severely 12, missing in action 36.

Ross Hadley of Texarkana was killed in action.

The marine list contained 40 names: Killed in action 33, died of wounds 4, wounded severely 3.

Herbert Dunlavy of Goose Creek and Morris Suttles of San Marcos were killed in action.

FRENCH MOVE UP AND TAKE 220 PRISONERS.
(By Associated Press)
Paris, July 3.—The French last night attacked the Germans north of Moulins Sous Trouvent on a front of three kilometers and improved their positions west of Chateau-Thierry.

A German attack near Vaux failed as did German efforts to advance north of Moncel and in upper Alsace. Two hundred and twenty Germans were taken prisoner in the Moulins Sous operation.

(By Associated Press)
London, July 3.—The Germans last night after shelling recaptured a greater part of the ground taken by the British in their operation north of Albert Sunday.

AUTOMOBILE LICENSES.
New car, Thos. B. Wood, Paige.
New car, T. P. Boyett, Studebaker.
No. 171195, Louis M. Glaze, Ford.
New car, W. L. Closs, Tabor, Dodge.
New car, M. W. Sims, Steele's Store, Buick.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
W. C. Dyer and Bera Summer.
Giovanni Crinaldo and Catarina Lombardo.
J. E. Davis and Mrs. I. A. Davis.
David Birdwell and Delilah Williams.

EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT OF THE BRYAN WEEKLY EAGLE

Pursuit of Happiness in the Country.

Why does each recurring census reveal the fact that an ever increasing number of people are drifting from the farms to the cities?

There can be but one answer to that. The rural residents are not happy and believe they can better maintain their pursuit of happiness in the city than in the country. But why are they not happy? Song and story tell of the pleasures of country life. The choicest sentiments that linger longest in the heart have as a background the days we lived in the country. And yet contrary to song and story and sentiment people hike to the cities. We might not blame the old folks if after having made their competence for old age, they came to town to live, but it is not the old folks that do the coming. It is the younger folks who, tired of the grind and the monotony and the lack of excitement and interest and entertainment and amusement who seek the cities. They are not happy in the country because the country as they know it is nothing but drudgery and offers nothing for the future.

Dr. Herman Morse of the Presbyterian board of home missions was introduced by the Baptist chairman of the war conference on rural activities at A. and M. college Monday night as the representative of a church organization that has given more attention to rural problems and furnished more solutions than any other denomination. Hence Dr. Morse, when he tells us certain things, speaks from the ripe experience gained as a member of the home mission board that has had to do with rural subjects. Dr. Morse and Dr. Mitchell both agreed thoroughly on one proposition, and that is that the people of the rural communities ought to get together and work together and stay together. Dr. Morse gave us a picture that is peculiarly applicable in many parts of Texas and to many communities in this county. He drew for us a mental picture of the community of poor tenant farmers who were poorly served by church and school, and he laid the blame very largely on the church. There are communities in this county, rural communities, which have as many as three churches, none of them prosperous, all struggling, some of them having monthly services by a preacher from town who is not and can not be vitally in touch with their local affairs. Sometimes all three of these churches are served by preachers who live in town and go to them as often as twice a month. The people who think they are thus served religiously, but are not, are kept apart just by this arrangement. Few preachers nowadays will stand in the way of better community service, throwing up as an obstacle their own doctrinal religions. Rather would they prefer to see there one strong Christian church whose pastor, to borrow the expression of Dr. Morse, should preach the simple story in the language of the community.

To amalgamate two or three struggling churches where room exists for but one, and to have a resident pastor would be the first natural step in the direction of a united community for service to itself, and a long stride in the pursuit of happiness. For, as has been done elsewhere the consolidation of the worshippers into one congregation with a resident pastor has been followed as naturally as the day follows the night with the consolidation of several small struggling rural schools, with short terms and poor teaching, into one strong school with a teacher house and a teacher whose employment continued through the year, and who taught in the language of the community. Then there is the doctor who becomes a permanent fixture in the community. About these three men, if they be broad and kind of heart and willing to give service to their fellowmen, will center all the activities of that community. In contrast with these other communities in Brazos county there are communities where they have taken steps in this direction and in the course of time will have worked out the ideal community life.

We see the visible results of community life where there is consolidation and where there is disunion. There is no disposition here to make comparisons, but they stand for themselves as examples of contrasting conditions. We have seen those communities where there is a union of community life come right up with their quotas for the liberty loans, the Red Cross or for whatever the nation may call upon them. They seem to be prosperous, all of them. They have Red Cross auxiliaries that are doing real work and they come forward as prize takers in other things. Where there is disunion there is difficulty in getting the communities to make up their quotas for bonds or Red Cross and the formation of auxiliaries is usually followed by partial or complete failure to keep them going, and a disposition apparent to let somebody else do the work. Enthusiasm is lacking, not because the heart is not in the right place but because it is human nature to want companionship and to feel the moral support that come from numbers working together. And, moreover, where there is community unity, there is more broadmindedness, more willingness to listen to anybody with a sane idea and to at least make a trial of it. There is less of criticism of the book farmer and more effort to prove the book farmer right or wrong by actual undertakings with the plow and the hoe rather than with argument.

But it all starts with the church. The church is a force exterior to the community, a third party as it were, and it can enter the community with a consolidation proposition that would be impossible if coming from any other organization, such as the public schools, which are in fact but the people themselves, and disorganized people at that where there is no call for a physician to take up his residence in the country until the community shall have been united. Hence, the view of Dr. Morse is quite correct

that upon the church rests the burden of reducing the hurdles in the pursuit of happiness, and the holding of the young people, particularly, to the country.

The Hearne Democrat last week delivered itself of the following: "If the voter believes Mr. Ferguson's statements that he made a good, clean and suitable governor, that all the charges made against him on the impeachment trial were false, that he was illegally removed by an incompetent tribunal and as the result of a conspiracy against the public good, or if he believes the charges are true, but believes that is the kind of governor Texas should have, then by all means such voter should vote to re-elect Mr. Ferguson. If you so believe, don't waste your vote on Clark or Grubbs. If on the other hand the voter believes like this editor believes that Mr. Ferguson was wholly unfit for the high office to which he was called by the suffrages of the people, that he was legally impeached by a proper and constitutional tribunal, removed from office and legally debarred from ever again holding office in the state, that this was a just and righteous judgment rendered by his own friends upon his own evidence because they could not with proper self-respect do otherwise, and that the hopes of clean politics and good government are just now bound up in the retention in office of William Pettus Hobby, at this very critical period in the affairs of our state and nation, don't let any side-show detract your attention from the big show in the main tent. Go in, take a seat on the front bench and join in the program." If we are abiding citizens of Texas, if we believe in constitutional government in Texas, if we believe in upholding the laws of the state and the institutions created under the constitution and laws of Texas, we can not for a moment countenance the candidacy of Mr. Ferguson. It makes no difference whether Ferguson was tried by a kangaroo legislature or not; he was tried and convicted by the men elected by the people to constitute that legislature, who followed certain directions of the constitution. Assuming that Mr. Ferguson was unjustly convicted the constitution says he can not hold office again. Injustice might have been done him, (although we don't believe it) but nevertheless if every man and woman in Texas should vote for him without changing the constitution he would not be entitled to the office. If we obey our constitution and laws Ferguson has no more chance to be governor of Texas than has the kaiser to sit on the throne of God.

ITALY HAS EARNED PLAUDITS IT IS RECEIVING.

(Dallas News.)

Italians resident of this country, as well as those who have come to the United States from time to time on various missions, have complained that Italy was regarded and treated as a kind of minor partner in the alliance against Germany. As visible evidence, they have remarked that whereas the flags of Great Britain and France were to be seen on almost every hand, the flag of Italy was something of a rare spectacle. There has probably been some justice in the complaint, and our only excuse, if any, must have been that Italy had rendered no military contribution to the cause of the allies comparable to any one of several that were to be credited to the arms of Great Britain and France. The recollection of the Isonzo disaster has worked naturally, and perhaps inevitably, to foster feelings which inevitably exaggerated the power and gallantry of the Italian armies.

But that excuse is no longer available to us. The battle of the Piave retrieves the Isonzo disaster. It has proved that that disaster, which brought such great depression on the spirits of the allies, was due to causes which in no sense impeach the courage of the Italian people or the military proficiency of the Italian armies. Whatever injury was done to the cause of the allies on the Isonzo has been more than redressed on the Piave, and that fact should receive a generous recognition in the United States. Events have shown that the Isonzo disaster was not decisive, notwithstanding the general fear at the moment of its occurrence that it would have some such consequence. It remains for events to prove that the Piave victory will be decisive in the sense that it removes an obstacle which barred the path of the allies to the goal of victory; but that it must have much large consequences than did the Isonzo defeat seems fairly clear. All the military critics, in estimating its value, compare it with Verdun, while at least one of them appraises it as only a little less important than the epochal battle of the Marne.

Whether it deserves either of those ranks or not, it is manifest that the Italian victory over the Austrians is, to the cause of the allies, a contribution which we shall be more likely to disparage than to exaggerate. There is no reason to doubt that Germany was counting on an Austrian victory to reinforce its armies along the front in Flanders and France. With Italy's armies disorganized and demoralized, as they would have been if the Austrian plan had succeeded, Austria would undoubtedly have been able to send many divisions of well-trained troops to the succor of the German armies. That danger the Italian arms have removed. If they have not rendered Austria impotent as a military force, they have at least rendered it incapable of giving any military assistance to Germany. It would not be easy to overestimate the value of that service. Italy has earned a place for its flag wherever those of Great Britain and France are found flying.

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WHAT WOMEN MAY VOTE AND HOW THEY MUST GO ABOUT IT

Mutilated Ballots Must Not Be Cast But New Ballots Secured From Election Judge.

(By Associated Press.)
Dallas, July 2.—Women of Texas will cast their first vote in the primaries July 27, as authorized by the recently enacted law of the legislature. What they must do and how they must prepare their ballot in order to vote is explained in the following rules:

What are the limitations on women voting?

There are four conditions to meet: Age—She must be at least 21 years of age.

Residence—She must have lived in Texas for the last year and in the county six months.

Citizenship—She must be an American citizen.

Registration—She must register with the county tax collector between June 26 and July 12. Some collectors will send out deputies on this work and some will have but one office, at the court house, for the purpose.

Who are American citizens? Those born in America; those who became 21 years of age after their parents were naturalized; those who took out naturalization papers and those who married men who are American citizens.

How and when do women register? Not earlier than June 26 nor later than July 12, by filling out blanks, giving certain information as to age and residence, to the county tax collector. If the tax collectors or deputies visit the home the registration may take place there; if not the women have to go to the office of the collector in the court house and procure their registration certificates. There is no cost for registration or voting. A poll tax is not required for voting this year. It is required in the years hereafter.

When and where will the women vote? July 27, 1918, at the same place men of their precinct vote.

How are ballots prepared? Women present their registration certificates, receive their ballots, slips of paper with names printed thereon, and go to a booth, where in secrecy they mark out, with a black lead pencil, the names of all persons for whom they wish to vote against. Election judges will not permit aid to be given in preparing a ballot unless the voter can not read or is physically incapable of preparing the ballot.

Warning—If a ballot is mutilated, torn, marked, or erased on it do not deposit it with the election judge. Ask for another and mark it correctly. Then hand it to the election judge. He will place a number on the election ballot, which should be folded so he can see how the person voted. He will then deposit it in the ballot box. Remember a blue pencil mark or a hole in the ballot is sufficient to cause the counters to throw out the ballot.

WANTS COLD STORAGE FOR FARMER MEATS ARRANGED IN BRYAN

From Thursday's Daily Eagle

"I wish something could be done in Bryan in the way of providing cold storage for farmers' meats," said Jim Dunn this morning, who had come to town almost before sunrise from Wheelock. "When we kill our hogs we have to wait for cold weather and perhaps lose half the meat in succumbing to hot weather. We may have our hogs ready for killing for two months before cold weather comes and you know that is expensive with the price of food like it is. But if we could place our meat in cold storage and have it properly looked after and cured we could kill when the hogs were ready and we would save all our meat. If something isn't done here I am going to build me a small plant on my place."

"I was talking to Mr. Walton of the extension service the other day about this and other matters and incidentally we were discussing a bulletin on peanut fattened hogs. The packers give two cents per pound less for peanut hogs than they do for corn fed hogs. I asked Mr. Walton if he had ever heard of the packers making any distinction when it came to selling the cured bacon and pork. I have asked others the same thing and none of them could recall ever having been quoted a lower price for peanut fed pork than for corn fed, although the farmer is penalized two cents a pound. I have killed and cured both kinds and after the bacon is cured I can not tell the difference and I believe nobody else can. This is something the government ought to look into, because if the packers are charging the same for peanut pork as they do for corn fed and yet paying two cents less for the former, it certainly is not a square deal."

SHOT BROTHERS-IN-LAW AFTER WHIPPING WIFE.

James Hallas, a negro living on the Wiprecht place in the bottom, has been arrested and placed in jail on a charge of assault to murder. Sheriff Nunn and Constable Baker made the arrest. The sheriff states that Hall had been whipping his wife and her brothers, the Rice boys, went over to investigate. Upon their arrival they were greeted by Hall with a shotgun, both of them being wounded in the left arms but neither seriously hurt. They were brought to town for treatment and returned home.

ASTIN IS DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE RESERVES

From Tuesday's Daily Eagle
H. W. Lewis at Smithville, who represents the federal department of labor in Texas, yesterday wired Senator J. R. Astin of Bryan as follows:

"I request you to accept appointment district director United States public reserve as offered you in letter mailed yesterday. The reserve keenly feel the need of your service and urges you to accept and make selection of county directors as quickly as is possible consistent with necessity of careful survey to get man duly qualified for the place."

Senator Astin wired his acceptance. The work at the moment consists in ascertaining the demand and supply of labor and taking steps to meet the demand for labor in view of the fact that a great many negroes are to be called into service this month and there is authorization for suspending a part of the immigration laws whereby many Mexican laborers can be imported for a fixed period of time. Senator Astin says the district assigned him seems to be this congressional district.

NEW REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING SUGAR

All wholesalers, jobbers, retailers and dealers of all kinds, handling sugar will be allowed to obtain sugar for their requirements during July, August and September only upon the surrender to the person from whom they purchase of certificates issued by this office. Until further notice all distributors of sugar from whatever source (except consumers) must be covered by certificates.

Wholesalers will be permitted to receive sugar now in transit without certificates and will be permitted to deliver up to July 1 sugar to retailers without certificates.

Wholesalers who also do a retail business must take separate reports showing amount of sugar handled in a wholesale and a retail way.

In filling orders for sugar preference must be given to retail trade, presenting statements marked "E" users, presenting statements marked "C" public eating places, statements "B" manufacturers of essentials, statement "D" bakeries and then orders may be filled from manufacturers presenting statement "A" manufacturers of non-essentials.

Pending the issuance of certificates sugar may be delivered to retailers without certificates but a record of such transactions must be kept until proper certificates are secured by the retailer from the food administration.

C. L. BEASON,
County Food Administrator.

O'FLAHERTY NAMED DRAFT BOARD MEMBER

From Saturday's Daily Eagle
The following telegram was received this afternoon:

Austin, Texas, June 29. A. B. O'Flaherty, care local board, Bryan, Texas: Governor Hobby directs me to advise that you have been appointed a member of the local board for Brazos county. The position pays practically nothing but affords an opportunity to render a valuable and patriotic service and we trust you will accept. Please communicate with the board, assume the duties and wire acceptance. Major John C. Townes.

Dr. Rayson and Robert Armstrong, the other members certified by the county council of defense to the governor, have not qualified but will likely do so now.

E. E. SAPP APPEALS MURDER VERDICT.

Austin, July 1.—An appeal in behalf of E. E. Sapp was filed in the court of criminal appeals Saturday. Sapp was convicted of the murder of Ellen Sapp and sentenced to 99 years. The crime was committed in Hardin county and Sapp was tried in Brazos county on a change of venue.

NEARLY HALF MILLION.

Houston, July 2.—When the city tax collector's office closed last night it was stated that about \$440,000 had been collected in taxes since it was announced that 6 per cent per annum discount would be allowed on all taxes paid at this time. The city council took this means to collect sufficient money to carry the municipal government until December, when the taxes are usually paid, to do away with the necessity of borrowing from the bank. It had been intended to collect but \$400,000, but this amount was exceeded before a total was run.

AGED MAN CONFESSES.

Oswego, N. Y., July 2.—At the age of 73 years Charles Gero confessed, according to the police, to the murder of his wife, 72 years old, his brother, 79, and a granddaughter, aged 4. The victims were killed with an ax at their home at New Haven, N. Y. Gero had been released from a private sanitarium Saturday.

K. T. Williams and son of Millican were in town yesterday.

Catarhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface of the Eustachian Tube. Catarrhal Deafness cannot be cured by local applications. Catarrhal Deafness can be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulate free. All Druggists and Dealers.

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Y. M. C. A. DRIVE FOR \$112,000.00 FOR WAR WORK COMING

Messrs. Chas. Firth and R. O. Allen have returned from San Antonio, where they attended a meeting of the southwestern military division of the national war work council of the Y. M. C. A.

The meeting was held at St. Anthony's hotel, where 513 delegates met from the six states constituting the southwestern division, in an all-day session Saturday, presided over by Chairman E. A. Peden. The principal speakers were Dr. John R. Mott and Geo. W. Perkins of New York, Major General W. A. Holbrook, commanding general of the southern military department, and Dr. Geo. W. Truett.

Dr. Mott, in addressing the meeting, said that those present would never live to take part in a more important gathering, and Dr. Truett pronounced the meeting the most significant he had ever attended in any part of the great southwest.

The object of the meeting was to launch a campaign for the raising of an adequate fund to carry on the multiplied war activities of the Y. M. C. A. A ways and means committee endorsed the plan of the national committee of which Geo. W. Perkins is chairman, to make a drive this fall for a minimum sum of \$112,000.00.

Of this sum the share allotted to the southwestern division comprising the six states, Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas, New Mexico and Arizona, was \$5,643,200. Texas drew for her pro rata about half of this entire sum, \$2,721,600. The recommendations of the ways and means committee were adopted by the council as a whole without a dissenting vote and amidst the greatest enthusiasm.

Executive committees for the several states were appointed, the members of the committee for Texas being J. R. Jarratt of San Antonio, E. R. Brown of Dallas, R. S. Sterling of Houston and T. F. Bush of Waco.

Dr. Mott addressed the meeting both at the morning and the evening session. He brought to bear upon his great theme a knowledge of world conditions wonderful for its comprehensiveness and its mass of detail. Our own Dr. Truett was easily the most magnet speaker of the occasion. He referred to his recent decision to give up his ministerial work in Dallas in order that he might go to the war fronts of Europe and speak to the allied armies, face to face, on the momentous issues of the present conflict. He said that any American citizen who is not ready to throw his best and his all freely into this struggle is "yellow to the finger tips." At the close of his address he was given a great ovation, the audience rising to their feet and greeting him with round after round of enthusiastic applause.

WAR PICTURES ONE SEES ARE USUALLY HOME MANUFACTURE

A letter received by City Manager J. W. Greer from his son, Captain Fred Greer, comments on the war pictures of newspapers and magazines.

"We have to laugh at some of the letters from home. Now, about the barracks. It is usually a hole about eight by eight by twenty feet and from 20 to 60 feet under ground. Although when we are back at rest we are billeted in what remains of the nearest village, using the best barns we can find. No, barracks at the front are not used for some reason or other, and all the pictures you see in the papers and magazines over there of the war are taken near some of the training camps in the states."

"I have not seen a picture from home yet that was taken at the front. Although some of them may have been taken at training camp over here. I doubt it, however. One or two schools over here use old French barracks that were built before the war. The articles and pictures from home make us laugh, just like a Ford joke. No, I don't eat white bread. I have had milk here at the hospital only. Always plenty of coffee and sugar. We have always had plenty to eat and can get other things here as cheaply as at home."

"I leave tomorrow for convalescent hospital in Southern France. Hope to get back by July 1. Please tell all friends never to write blue letters to anyone over here. One such letter is worse than a big battle."

GREAT MARINE TERMINUS.

Paris, July 2.—A naval base on the French coast used by the Americans in their transport traffic is destined after the war to become the European marine terminus of a five-day New York-to-Paris route, according to American naval officers as their views are reported by Raymond Lestonnat in L'Illustration. "It is the port of Europe—how is it you have not found that out for yourselves?" the writer records the Americans as saying. "The new liners which we will build after the war and which will put Paris within five days of New York, will use it. We shall build a new railroad to Paris and everybody will come this way from continent to continent."

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JAPAN IS READY TO INTERVENE IN RUSSIA IF ALLIES ASK IT

Special to The Daily Eagle.

Tokio, June 28.—Japan has an army of 2,000,000 men mobilized and ready to enter Siberia should the United States and the allies give consent. It is understood from sources close to the government that Japan is ready to intervene provided she asked to do so by the other allies, and these will furnish the necessary equipment. This would involve the proposition of providing for upwards of 8,000,000 men, for behind the first 2,000,000 are 1,000,000 other men physically fit who have not yet served in the army, and still behind these are 5,000,000 men, not so physically fit and as yet untrained who could be called if necessary.

Japan has been in no hurry to intervene in Siberia, the reason for which was recently told by Viscount Kato in an address to the constitutional party of which he is president. "The German menace is not so pressing," he said at that time, "as to necessitate an immediate dispatch of Japanese troops to Siberia. It is necessary for Japan to endeavor to conserve her national strength and this is no time for us to act precipitantly."

He was aware, the opposition leader said, that Japanese intervention in Russia was advocated in some quarters on the ground that there was danger of German influence spreading in the east to such an extent that German bases for submarines, airplanes and Zeppelins would be established at Vladivostok. Another reason given for intervention was that the commission preached by the Lenin government in Russia was expected to produce a bad effect in Japan. The question of intervention, said Viscount Kato, should be solved chiefly with an eye to Japan's own interests and not in deference to the views of other nations.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ARMY HAT CORDS.

Every branch of the service has its special color which appears on the hat cords of enlisted men, on the chevrons of non-commissioned officers, and in many other places. These colors are:

Infantry, light blue.
Cavalry, yellow.
Artillery, scarlet.
Adjutant general's, inspector general's and judge advocate general's departments, dark blue.
Engineer corps, scarlet intertwined with white.
Signal corps, orange intertwined with white.
Aviation corps, green and black.
Medical department, maroon with white intermixed.
Quartermaster corps, buff.
Ordnance department, black intertwined with scarlet.
Corps of interpreters and corps of intelligence police, green and white.
Tank service, gray.
Chemical service, cobalt blue and golden.
Machine gun units, acorns and keeper to be red.
Service school detachments at West Point, green and white.
Members of citizen training camps, red, white and a blue in strands.
Flying candidates, a band of white pique 1 1/2 inches wide.
Service school detachments, green.

CANNER IN OPERATION.

The community canner has been successfully moved from the Allen Smith establishment to the Bryan Ice company's plant where plenty of live steam can be secured, and Miss Martha Gillespie has taken charge of the initial operations. When she gets the canner in full operation she will turn over the active control to Mrs. J. J. Ray.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 30c.

NATIONAL ARMY MEN TAKE UP A SECTOR ON THE BATTLE FRONT

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 29.—General March announces that the first national army division has taken up a sector at the front in the 77th division, raised in New York and trained at Camp Upton. Five American divisions, brigaded with the British for training, have returned to General Pershing's command with training completed. One of these is the 35th, composed of Kansas and Missouri troops.

Announcements.

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 27th, 1918.

For Congress, Sixth District
HON. RUFUS HARDY
of Corsicana, Texas.
HON. E. A. DECHERD,
of Franklin, Texas.

For Senator Twelfth District,
R. L. WILLIFORD,
Fairfield, Texas.
N. P. HOUX
of Mexia
D. T. GARTH,
Freestone County.

Representative 22nd District.
DR. OSCAR DAVIS,
of Grimes County.

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.
O. S. LATTIMORE

For Judge 85th Judicial District,
H. S. MOREHEAD,
of Robertson County.
W. C. DAVIS,
of Brazos County.

For County Judge.
J. T. MALONEY

For Sheriff.
LEONARD E. MOREHEAD
T. C. NUNN.
JOHN D. CONLEE.

For Tax Assessor.
JIM DARWIN.
JULIUS M. BARRON.

For Tax Collector.
ROY HULSPETH

County Clerk.
HORACE O. FERGUSON.

County Treasurer
W. W. GAINER
A. A. DEAN.
TOM E. TAYLOR.

County Attorney.
J. G. MINKERT.
O. F. CHASTAIN.

Commissioner Precinct No. 1
J. M. ATKINS.
E. D. CARLL.
FLETCHER H. POOL.

For Commissioner.
JOHN SABO, Precinct No. 2.
GEORGE P. EDGE.

Commissioner Precinct 3,
CHARLES DISTEFANO.
J. J. CAHILL.

For Justice of Peace,
Precinct No. 4.
C. L. McCOY.
JOHN W. HAMILTON.

For Commissioner,
Precinct No. 4.
C. A. BUCHANAN.
W. G. REYNOLDS.

Constable Precinct 4.
L. J. COX.
LON BAKER.

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Drugs refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles. Instantly relieves itching, burning, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

ONLY 1200 NUMBERS IN BIG GLASS BOWL AT ARMY DRAWING

(By Associated Press)
Washington, June 27.—Historic events of a year ago were repeated today as the American class of 1918 was drawn in the national lottery. Secretary Baker, member of the senate and house military committees and other high officials were present and blindfolded men drew the capsules from the glass bowl. Each capsule contained a master number to be applied to each of the 4500 registration districts. In a comparison with the 10,500 numbers drawn a year ago, only 1200 were drawn today. The master numbers drawn today apply to numbers on the cards of registrants. In the drawing a year ago serial numbers were assigned but this was considered unnecessary today.

Today's drawing was to determine the relative summoning to the colors of the new registrants as finally classified under the questionnaire system. All youths whose numbers were drawn today will be assigned to the various classes under information furnished on the questionnaire. The new registrants are to be placed at the foot of the list in each class in their respective districts.

COUNTRY POULTRY DEALERS REQUIRED TO HAVE LICENSES.

The food administration issues the following:
The president's proclamation of May 14, requiring the licensing of those engaged in certain lines of business, including "operators of poultry and egg packing plants not already licensed by the United States food administration," has been misunderstood by some of those affected.

Under this classification anyone who sells poultry or eggs in any other way than retail to the consumer, regardless of the amount of business done, must be licensed.

There are many country store keepers whose business is mostly retail selling, but who buy eggs and sometimes poultry from the farmers. They have never considered themselves as operators of poultry and egg packing plants, but in reality that is what they are. The fact that they are in the retail business on too small a scale to require a retailer's license does not alter the case. In order to comply with the law they must all fill out blanks obtained from the United States food administration and have licenses issued.

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COMPANY OF TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD IS TO BE RAISED HERE

George Brandon has been authorized by Adjutant General Harley of the Texas national guard to take enlistments for a supply company of an infantry brigade which is to be raised in the state in the next few weeks. Mr. Brandon has not received detailed instructions but it is anticipated that 100 men will be asked to volunteer from Brazos county and contiguous territory, these to be from 18 to 45 years, exclusive of class I in the draft. Those in deferred classifications will be accepted. Enlisting will be started some time next week, mustering will take place as soon as possible afterward and federalization is expected to take place in the latter part of August or the first part of September. The supply company will have charge of the ordnance, trucks and commissary.

It is expected that the brigade will be trained on the border, but it will see foreign service if the war lasts long enough. In the event it does not the guardsmen will relieve those men now held on the border. The same process of training will be given as at Camp Bowie. The men will be trained by officers of the regular and national armies, and the guards officers attend a regular officers' training, doing drilling every day at the college under Lieutenant Daugherty with his "rookies." He is enthusiastic about the work and feels that by the time he shall have had several weeks of it he will be physically fit and at the same time have gained a lot of military knowledge. He says the work is fine for anybody.

"I am having splendid co-operation from friends in this matter and they are all enthusiastic for it," said Mr. Brandon.

ARMY ENLISTMENTS.

Recent enlistments at the army recruiting station here have been as follows:
William H. Friend, Marshall, to veterinary corps.
Charles E. Friend, Marshall, to medical corps.
Cristobal Sanchez, Maxwell, infantry.
Everett E. Saxon, Bryan, coast artillery.
Leniel A. Laurence, Madisonville, medical corps.

HOBBY CLUB CHAIRMAN.

Judge W. G. Taliaferro, because of ill health, has resigned as president of the Brazos County Hobby club, and Judge J. T. Maloney has been appointed to the position. Judge Maloney says he is going to set some things going in this county for Hobby.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic
destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60c.

DULANEY IS CASHIER FIRST STATE BANK, CARL COLE DIRECTOR

At a meeting of the board of directors of the First State Bank and Trust company Thursday, Carl M. Cole was elected a director to take the place of W. H. Cole, resigned. J. N. Dulane was elected cashier, G. J. Nedbalek assistant cashier and Paul W. Edge bookkeeper.

Mr. Dulane has been with this bank for the past six years and Mr. Nedbalek for the past two years, and this promotion comes as a recognition of the faithful and efficient service rendered by each. Paul W. Edge is well known to the people of Bryan and Brazos county, having been reared in the county, but for the past 10 years has been engaged in office work in the Southern Pacific railroad. He made a fine record in that field but decided to try banking. The bank is very fortunate in securing his services.

Carl M. Cole is too well known to the business people of Bryan and Brazos county as one of the substantial business men of this community for any further comments in reference to him. The First State Bank and Trust company officials are glad to have him as one of them. This bank expects in the near future to have something to say about its new bank building.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the board of directors:

Whereas W. H. Cole has tendered his resignation as cashier and director of this bank to take effect July 1 to become cashier of the City National, and

Whereas, Mr. Cole has served as cashier and director of the First State Bank and Trust company since its organization with great credit to himself. Now, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the board of directors hereby express to Mr. Cole its appreciation of his earnest and energetic efforts in the upbuilding of the bank, that it is with sincere regrets the board accepts his resignation, and that he carries with him in his new field of action the good will and best wishes of the individual members of the board; believing that the same singleness of purpose which has characterized his efforts in the past will bring him success in the future.

Be it further resolved, That Mr. Cole be furnished with a copy of these resolutions, signed by the president of the bank under the seal of the bank.

(Signed) ED HALL, President.

(Seal)

JOHNSON-DURBIN.

From Friday's Daily Eagle
Benjamin H. Johnson and Mrs. Mattie Durbin were married here Tuesday by Justice of the Peace W. W. Gainer.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

J. M. Ellis and Martha Stockton.

CITY WILL PROVIDE PUBLIC TOILETS ON MAIN STREET SOON

Public toilets on Main street are to be provided by the city. At a special meeting of the city commission last night this subject among other things came up for discussion, as a result of remarks in the report of City Manager Greer on his trip to Austin and San Antonio. While in San Antonio he consulted with the mayor and city engineers relative to this and allied subjects, and gathered a good many ideas. It all resulted in instructions to Commissioner Hensarling and Mr. Greer to put in toilets in the calaboose in the basement of the city hall, beneath the northwest corner of the stage. This jail is not now used by the city, the county jail being employed when the city finds it necessary to incarcerate a prisoner, which is seldom, hence it affords a very excellent place for public toilets for men. It can be arranged to accommodate both white and negro men.

While this solves the problem as far as the men are concerned it is not solved for the women. It has been suggested that additional fixtures for the accommodation of white women might be installed in the Carnegie library and that either a separate room be erected for negro women or that the city install in some central negro store fixtures for their accommodation. As far as the white women are concerned most of the dry goods stores have nice retiring rooms, maintained in a clean, orderly and sanitary manner. Mr. Greer began taking steps to fit up the calaboose this morning but he and Mr. Hensarling have not fully solved the other problems although there is assurance that there will be a solution.

While attending the League of Texas Municipalities, Mr. Greer says in his report, that the solution of the open closet problem was not presented and that the metal can system as advocated by the department of agriculture had not been tried by any of the municipal officers with whom he came into contact there. This problem, which is one of Bryan's most pressing ones, was discussed again by the commission last night without definite action being taken. There was a disposition to let the contract of cleaning the open closets to some responsible person and the city to do the collecting but this met with some opposition, especially by those who want the job done thoroughly, every place in the city visited and the police power of the city used to enforce collections. In that event the scavenger would be a city employee, follow certain routes, clean up the premises as often as might be necessary, report those whose places constituted nuisances and the city would collect a nominal fee for the work, perhaps half or two-thirds of the present fee charged by the scavenger, who is not a city official, has no authority and whose relations with his customers are about the same as those of other business men. He has reported trouble in making collections because he would clean only the toilets of those who paid him. It was apparent that the sentiment of the commissioners is in favor of a radical change in the manner and policy of handling the work.

Mr. Greer's report also covered the history of the date of the Main street paving matter. He stated that he had inspected paving at San Antonio and inclined to favor Knippa trap rock mixed with asphalt for the surfacing. He showed that this trap rock is impervious to moisture, inert as to chemical action and very hard and resist wear better than granite or limestone. In a letter received from the trap rock company they priced the crushed rock at \$2.74 a ton, about three-quarters of a yard, to \$2.94, which includes freight charges to Bryan. Mr. Greer, in his report, told of having visited the highway commission at Austin, waiting three hours to get an audience and finally securing the promise of Chairman Hancock to visit Bryan, which he did, and favorably passed on Bryan's application for asphalt, which is only let out on government order now. He anticipates that it will be a month before the approval will be received from Washington.

Meanwhile he has been in conference with the Kaw Paving company relative to repairs on their pavement in Bryan and incidentally as bidders on the Main street and side street paving in this city. A letter from Mr. Vance of this company stated that he had expected to visit Bryan but had been ill. However he will come when he recovers sufficiently.

Mr. Greer, as shown by his report of the proceedings of the League of Municipalities, was tendered the office of president but at his suggestion the San Antonio mayor was elected to that position. He said he could not accept because under the city charter he is employed only for 30 days.

His report was ordered filed and note of its reading and filing made in the minutes.

All members of the commission and City Secretary Bittle and Mr. Greer were present.

REUNION IN THE TRENCHES.

The following article appeared in the April number of the "Alcalde," published by the former students of the University of Texas:
"Charlie Hudson of Bryan, law, 1916-16, and Walter Booth of San Antonio, engineer, 1916, were room mates at the university. Commissioned as second lieutenant Hudson went to France last August. Booth was graduated from the engineers' training camp at Fort Leavenworth and went to France four months later. One dark night in the trenches on the western front Charlie Hudson was crouched below a gangplank trying to keep dry when a familiar voice fell upon his ear. He reached up by the side of the plank, feeling in the darkness and grabbed a man by the ankle. It was Booth's ankle. It was Booth's ankle. There followed a reunion under difficult external circumstances but none the less an enjoyable reunion."

FIRST YEAR WAR COST IS OVER TWELVE AND A HALF BILLIONS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, June 29.—The government today closed its books for the first fiscal year of the war. Expenditures reach a total amount undreamed of a decade ago. The actual outlay has been more than \$12,600,000,000. In peace times the government spent less than \$1,000,000,000 annually. War activity is now depleting the treasury at the rate of about \$50,000,000 a day.

DECHERD CANDIDACY ENDORSED BY EQUAL SUFFRAGE PRESIDENT

The following letter has been sent out from the headquarters of the Texas Equal Suffrage association at Galveston, to a number of the women voters of the sixth congressional district:

Galveston, Tex., June 5.
My Dear Madam:

My attention has been called to the fact that the Hon. E. A. Decherd, Jr., is a candidate for congress from your district, and I write to congratulate you and the women of your community upon having the opportunity to cast your first ballot for a man of such a splendid, clean record, and who stands for such progressive measures as does Mr. Decherd.

It has been my duty as head of the organization working to secure suffrage for the women of the state, to attend all of the sessions of the legislature for a number of years, and it is a pleasure to bear testimony to the fact that Mr. Decherd was always to be found attending closely to duty and supporting such measures for the good of the state as the following, for instance:

Child labor laws, all war measures, woman suffrage, anti-vice bill, all prohibition measures, majority nominations, restriction of suffrage to American citizens, million dollar rural school bill, compulsory education bill of which he was joint author, author rural high school bill.

If Mr. Decherd were a candidate for congress from my own district I would be one of his most enthusiastic supporters. Since he is from your district instead I bespeak for him not only your vote but your influence in order that the nation may have the benefit of his honest, straightforward, direct decision on all questions bearing upon the public welfare.

Should you consider things pretty evenly divided between Mr. Decherd and his opponent and find difficulty in making your decision I beg you to remember that Mr. Decherd stands for enfranchisement of the women of the United States, not only by states but by the nation, and his opponent has shown by every vote he has had a chance to cast that he does not believe that women are competent to cast an intelligent ballot. Surely, then, he is not worthy nor desirous of receiving our support the very first time we do vote. Yours very truly,
MRS. MINNIE FISHER CUNNINGHAM, President.

KE KELLY WAS FIRST.

The friends of Ike Kelly, a deaf mute of the Tabor community, believe he is worthy a word of commendation for his action in the recent war savings stamp drive. He did not understand what the meetings were being held for, nor the cause of the agitation of the people and asked to have it explained to him. He was told the meaning and also that because of his infirmity he would not be expected to contribute. Notwithstanding, he was at the school house promptly Friday afternoon at the hour of the meeting and was the first man to subscribe \$25. He said he did not propose for his neighbors to help in the war and their sons to give their lives at the front and him have no part in it.

DECHERD CLAIMS HE IS GAINING IN HIS RACE.

From Thursday's Daily Eagle
Senator E. A. Decherd of Franklin, Robinson county, who is making the race in this district for congress against the Hon. Rufus Hardy, was in Bryan yesterday looking after the interests of his campaign. Mr. Decherd was formerly senator from this district in the state legislature. He speaks very hopefully of the outlook for himself, says he is gaining votes all over the district where he has been and expects to continue to gain, notwithstanding Mr. Hardy is reported to be anticipating returning to the district to look after his fences in a few days.

UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU DEATHLY SICK

Stop Using Dangerous Drug Before
It Salivates You! It's
Horrible.

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards.—Adv.

EVERY MEMBER OF BUSINESS CLUB TO GO ON TRADE TRIP

An effort in the making to have the Bryan trade trip of July 17 the biggest thing of the kind ever pulled off by the business men of this city. The printing of the trade circular, which will be in the shape of a newspaper the size of The Eagle and illustrated, will be more extensive than anything of the kind ever attempted here for such an occasion. The contract for printing the circular has been awarded to The Eagle Printing company. At the meeting of the directors of the business club this morning Chairman Sam B. Wilson of the trade extension committee reported that the advertising for the circular had all been sold and plans for the reading matter had been arranged. The itinerary has been completed and will be the reverse of the same trip of last year. This year the trip will be made in the following order: Wheelock, Edge, Sky, Normangee, (dinner), George, North Zulch, Zulch, Cross, Bedias, Iola, Mesa, Keith and Bryan.

Mr. Wilson suggested that the day be made a holiday and that all the stores close, enabling all the business men and their clerks to get away but after discussion this idea was modified whereby the business houses will not be asked to close but the trade extension committee is to visit every member of the business club and urge that each who has a car send it on the trip with a representative.

Also all firms were urged to use individual advertising on the day of the trip, especially cards, showing the name of the firm and the line of business and the name of the representative on the trip. In view of a demand for these cards The Eagle had recently laid in a considerable stock and with new type faces is prepared to give not only super-excellent work but rapid service. Firms who are to send cars are urged to register with Secretary Eberstadt at the business club.

Observance of July 4 in Bryan will be quiet. The directors passed a resolution requesting all firms to close their places of business on that day and the mayor to issue a proclamation to that effect.

By resolution the directors issued a request to the mayor and the county judge of Bryan and Brazos county that they issue proclamations calling upon the citizens at 6 o'clock on the evening of each day to suspend all business for a moment for the purpose of breathing a prayer for the success of our armies in the war and for the safe return of our soldiers, and that the president appoint a committee of three who will draft a suitable prayer. This committee consists of C. L. Beason, W. S. Barron and F. L. Henderson.

With President Johnson included a committee consisting of M. E. Wallace and E. J. Fountain was appointed to visit the manager of the ice plant at once and ascertain if any arrangements had been made or would be made to take care of the ice situation in the event of a further shutdown or shortage and that the committee let the people know the result of the interview.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Mary Rahmert, deceased, Julius Rahmert has filed in the county court of Brazos county an application for the probate of the last will and testament of Mrs. Mary Rahmert, deceased, and letters testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July, A. D. 1918, at the court house thereof, in the city of Bryan, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court June 24, A. D. 1918.
H. O. FERGUSON,
Clerk County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

A CHILD HATES OIL, CALOMEL, PILLS FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give "California Syrup of Figs" if cross, sick, feverish, constipated.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy: they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

THREE REGIMENTS OF TEXAS INFANTRY TO BE FORMED AT ONCE

**Will Consist of Four
Thousand Officers
and Men — Inspection
of Cavalry Regiments at Once.**

(By Associated Press)
Austin, July 2.—A proclamation for the organization at once of three regiments of infantry, totalling 4000 officers and men was issued today by Governor Hobby.

The infantry organization will be in charge of the same men who organized the cavalry.

INSPECT CAVALRY AT ONCE.

(By Associated Press)
Austin, July 2.—Inspection of the Texas cavalry brigade will begin at once, Adjutant General Harley is advised by the military bureau at Washington.

CITATION IN PROBATE.

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the welfare of Wilson C. Parker, minor: On the 9th day of May, A. D. 1918, the Honorable J. T. Maloney, county judge of Brazos county, Texas, made an order appointing J. W. Rawls temporary guardian of the estate of the above named minor, which said order is now recorded in the probate minutes of said court, said minor having an estate of the probable value of \$3250, consisting of \$250 interest in real estate, \$3000 insurance policy on life of his father, V. C. Parker, deceased.

All persons interested in the welfare of Wilson C. Parker, are hereby cited to appear before the county court of Brazos county, Texas, at the court house in the city of Bryan, Texas, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1918, the same being at a regular term of said court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if such appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal at Bryan, Texas, this 18th day of June, 1918.

H. O. FERGUSON,
Clerk County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original writ now in my hands.
T. C. NUNN, Sheriff.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Marwill, deceased, Mrs. Lula Aaron Marwill has filed in the county court of Brazos county, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of Harry Marwill, deceased, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July, A. D. 1918, at the court house thereof, in the city of Bryan, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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H. O. FERGUSON,
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OPERATING INCOME OF RAILROADS IS REDUCED.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, July 2.—A reduction of \$108,196,000 in the operating income of 123 of the largest railroads for the first five months of government control against the same time last year is announced.

ITALIAN COLONY WILL PARADE.

Port Arthur, Tex., July 2.—The Italian colony in this city will march in the Fourth of July parade in a body. It is expected that other nationalities not attached to organizations in the parade will do the same.

"See 'Gets-It' Peel Off This Corn."

Leaves The Toe as Smooth as the Palm of Your Hand.

The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto! the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right off.



It's Wonderful to See "Gets-It" Peel Off Corns off with your finger and there you are—pain-free and happy, with the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm. "Gets-It" is the only safe way in the world to treat a corn or callus. It's the sure way—the way that never fails. It is tried and true—used by millions every year. It always works. "Gets-It" makes cutting and digging at a corn and fussing with bandages, salves or anything else entirely unnecessary. "Gets-It" is sold by all druggists (you need pay no more than 25 cents), or it will be sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in Bryan and recommended as the best corn cure by Dr. H. James, E. J. Jenkins.

WANTED!

We will buy second hand
feed bags at 10 cents each.

Help Win the War by
Saving Bags

We Buy Cotton Seed Every
Day in the Year

Bryan Cotton Oil and Fertilizer Company

A Home Institution

BRAZOS COUNTY OVER THE TOP ON WAR SAVINGS BY \$53,706.00

With two country districts yet to hear from Brazos county has gone over the top in the war savings drive by \$53,706, and when the other districts shall have been heard from it may reach \$60,000. The Brazos county quota was \$379,000, and reports made to Chairman E. H. Astin total \$432,706.

It appears that meetings were held in every designated place yesterday and only in the city were some of them rather badly attended. Notwithstanding business houses closed during the hours of meetings, roll calls of those assigned to attend different meetings failed to bring the response they should. Some secured pledge cards in advance, not being able to attend the meetings, but those who were neither at the meetings or sent pledge cards will be given attention. Every chairman of a district is to make a note of every person listed and if he has neither attended the meeting or made a pledge he will be waited upon by a strong committee and if necessary the home guard. Committee chairmen of course are to use judgment and if it is known that a man has not the financial ability to make a purchase of war savings stamps he will of course not be required to do so.

While some districts did not make good on their quotas, a great majority did so but they went over the top. This was especially true of the rural districts, both white and negro. It was the result of one of the best managed campaigns of the sort ever undertaken in Bryan. The Bryan and Brazos County Commercial club, which is using its organization for war activities along with its regular work has been headquarters for the campaign. Mr. Astin as county chairman of war savings stamps campaign conducted an educational campaign in the county, using every speaker in Bryan and Brazos county for nightly meetings. A regular schedule was made up every day, meetings were held and the speakers assigned without a single instance responded without any hint at an excuse.

A tremendous amount of office work was also done. Six thousand cards to individuals notifying them of the district meetings, those addressed were to attend, 10,000 pieces of other matter, including letters and literature, packages of pledge cards to every district chairman. Whenever State Chairman Lipsitz communicated anything in the way of instructions to Chairman Astin, it meant the sending out of about 150 letters, the whole entailing a lot of work. Many ladies of the city volunteered for work in addressing the cards and other mail matter.

The result of all this labor is especially noticeable in the country. Kurten, for example, reports that every person to whom cards were sent made a pledge. Steel's Store with six districts went over the top in all but one. Nearly every country district is over the top in greater or less amount. The negroes responded nobly. Some of the reports yet to be turned in are of negro meetings, but their total pledges in the country are \$78,180 without the missing districts. This does not include the college, where the negro pledges went in with the whites. At the negro meetings in Bryan an even \$17,000 was pledged.

When the pledge cards shall have all been turned in there is yet a lot of work to do. Blanks have been provided to be made out in duplicate, one of which is to be sent to the treasury department and the other retained here. These record the name of every person, the address, stamps owned, stamps pledged and places where they are to make their purchases.

Secretary Eberstadt in commenting on the campaign and its results, said, "This was one of the best and most systematically managed campaigns of the sort with which I ever had anything to do. Mr. Astin has worked hard, faithfully and with a genius for organization and execution, and has given almost his entire time to the work. Every person connected with his organization has labored without a murmur at any task assigned, this being true of the district chairman as well as others. I want also to compliment The Eagle for the persistent mention of the drive whereby it was kept before the people constantly. We have certainly all done a lot of hard work but the results furnish the reward."

District—	Pledged.
Bryan	\$172,074
College	31,087
No. 1, Antioch and Greer	13,065
No. 2, Wellborn	4,200
No. 3, Shiloh	1,900
No. 3, Milligan	7,815
No. 3, Brook's Chapel	2,435
No. 3, Counter's	1,725
No. 3, Allen Farm	3,425
No. 3, Jackson Farm	1,115
No. 4, Rock Prairie	2,060
No. 4, Peach Creek	2,440
No. 4, Sulphur Springs	1,295
No. 5, Dowling	1,450
No. 5, Providence	800
No. 5, Leonard	1,560
No. 5, Silver Hill	6,105
No. 6, Shiloh	2,485
No. 6, Union Hill	2,370
No. 6, Washington Chapel	3,630
No. 7, Harvey	3,065
No. 7, Mt. Enterprise	1,350
No. 7, Nelson Chapel	1,110
No. 8, Steep Hollow	5,750
No. 8, Mosely	2,650
No. 8, Boonville	2,350
No. 9, Reliance	6,560
No. 10, Kuden	10,355
No. 11, Woodville (white)	2,870
No. 11, Woodville (negro)	625
No. 12, Alexander	6,425
No. 12, Blanton	2,475

No. 12, Bohemian Hall	3,715
No. 12, Harris School (white)	3,600
No. 12, Cottonwood (white)	1,730
No. 12, Walker Settlement	1,900
No. 12, Moody	2,415
No. 12, Franklin Grove	3,800
No. 12, Harris School (negro)	10,675
No. 14, Edge	1,900
No. 16, Quinn's Chapel	6,000
No. 17, Smetana	5,465
No. 17, Goodson	3,825
No. 17, Fountain	1,755
No. 17, Parker	1,470
No. 17, Post Oak	3,900
No. 17, Pleasant Hill	1,170
No. 17, Henderson	3,485
No. 17, Harmon	7,450
No. 18, Steele's Store	8,325
No. 18, Stone City	2,320
No. 18, Rye	5,840
No. 18, Salem	4,075
No. 18, Stone City (negro)	3,250
No. 18, Cannan (negro)	2,160
No. 19, Whites	835
No. 19, Negroes	3,285
No. 20, Whites	775
No. 20, Sugar Hill	1,405
No. 21, Dove's Chapel	2,705
No. 22, Fickey	3,125
No. 23, Whites	1,255
No. 23, Wilcox (negro)	1,400
No. 24, Shady Grove	1,130
No. 25, Bowman	2,765
No. 26, Whites	3,200
No. 26, Mt. Rose (negro)	3,705
No. 30, Macy	3,705
Total	\$432,706

THE LIMIT CLUB.
In addition to the list of those who have purchased the legal limit of \$1000 of war savings stamps there are several who have since made purchases. These are designated as members of the Limit club because they have taken all they are permitted to. The previous total was \$64,000. The report below shows a total of \$10,300:
J. B. Stevenson and family...\$1,300
Mrs. R. H. Seal...1000
M. B. Parker and family...1000
C. M. Cole and wife...1000
J. H. Todd...1000
Mrs. M. W. Sims...1000
H. C. Robinson...1000
C. L. Eden...1000
City of Bryan...1000
Bryan City Schools...1000
Mrs. J. W. Batts...1000

COLLEGE ONCE MORE OVER THE TOP.
A. and M. college again "went over the top" yesterday afternoon when at the mass meeting in the interest of the war savings stamps drive it was announced that the college subscriptions were in excess of \$28,000, whereas the college quota was only \$21,500. The indications are when the subscription list has been revised the final figures will show \$30,000.
The subscriptions were made without any special stress or appeals. President Bizzell called the meeting to order and stated its object and then introduced Prof. O. F. Chastain, chairman of this drive for the College community, who dwelt briefly upon the financial program of the government and then presented Dr. C. P. Fountain who explained the subscription blanks and then had them distributed through the audience. When the cards had been signed and collected it was found the response was even more generous than the leaders had anticipated.

One of the interesting sidelights to the mass meeting was furnished in the presentation to "Uncle" Dan Jackson, a faithful negro who has been employed as janitor on the campus for more than 40 years, by President Bizzell of a war savings certificate containing \$25 worth of stamps. The aged janitor had agreed to subscribe for this number of stamps but due to his advanced age and his long and faithful service to the college some of his friends felt it would be a nice thing to present him with that many stamps and on behalf of these friends Dr. Bizzell gave the token. "Uncle" Dan wanted to turn the stamps over to the Red Cross but Dr. Bizzell told him they had his name on them and he had better keep them.

After the stamp subscriptions had been taken Professor Chastain auctioned off a gold ring which had been presented the college auxiliary of the Red Cross by Meyer Blankfield, who is attending the cotton classing school, which realized \$171 for the Red Cross. After scores of men and women had raised the bid by \$1 or more the final price being \$171, those who had contributed to the sale voted to award the ring to Dr. M. Francis, whose wife is chairman of the college auxiliary, and the probability is that the ring will be offered for sale again soon at another Red Cross benefit.

CHAYOTES GOOD TO EAT.
Dr. J. W. Cavitt has received from the department of agriculture at Washington three sprouted chayotes. Chayotes, if you do not know what they are, have the shape of a pear and the color of a cucumber, and they are said to be good to eat either as a vegetable or a fruit. They belong to the cucumber family and are edible if eaten as cucumbers. But the department sent along with the chayotes a lot of instructions and recipes. It is a plant grown in tropical America and is said to be a success in the southern states below the line of frozen ground.

Notice, Friend in Need.
You are notified of the death of Mrs. Lucy Thomas, No. 76. Assessment must be paid within 10 days or you become suspended. Present membership 245. Joe B. Reed, secretary. d45w39

HARVEY.
Harvey, June 26.—There is a dearth of news this week. The weather continues hot and dry but crops are beautiful so far, though everything needs rain. The ladies seem to be vying with one another in canning. We hope to send in a big report from Harvey when the season is over. Mrs. Will Goen already has 95 quarts of various vegetables and a few of fruits, fruit, besides some dried corn and beans. Miss Mae Byrd Blanton has 120 quarts of tomatoes, besides berries and pickles. Such girls as this speak well for thrift; in fact we are all so busy conserving garden products we find little time to visit and hear any news. We hope to have a big crowd at the school house Friday to pledge for buying thrift stamps. Would be glad to hear from some of our local speakers and candidates as to "Why Women Should Vote," and to encourage voting for Hobby. All Hobby women, we think will vote for Hobby who vote at all. The greatest drawback is having to go to Bryan to register.

The young people had a party at Mrs. J. C. Davidson's last night and had a very pleasant time. Mrs. Will Rains gave a pleasant social at her home last Friday night. So many of our boys are gone now we miss them sorely at our Sunday school and social features.

STEEP HOLLOW.
Steep Hollow, July 3.—Miss Thelma Crenshaw accompanied her room mate, Miss Ima Cook, home from A. and M. where they are attending summer school.

Mrs. W. B. English and children spent Saturday night and Sunday at Reliance.
Miss Martha Martin from Bryan visited Miss Ida Martin Sunday.

Born, Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conway, a fine baby girl.
Miss Marion Lee from Bryan spent the week-end as the guest of Miss May Belle Morehead.

The Steep Hollow Red Cross auxiliary is to begin sewing again as soon as the canning season is over.
Mrs. Henry Parker returned Monday after a week's visit to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Lindsey of Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bullock visited relatives in Bryan Sunday afternoon. Joe Barnett from Camp Travis visited home folks Saturday and Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Gotsol motored from Houston Friday for a short visit to relatives. They were accompanied home by Raymond Mathis.

Paul Jones and Webb Buchanan left last week to offer their services to Uncle Sam.

Misses May Terry and Pauline Stallings from Bryan spent several days last week visiting in our community.

STEEP HOLLOW.
Steep Hollow, June 26.—Uncle Abe Hensarling has returned home after a visit to Mr. John Hensarling at Wellborn.

Miss Grace Morehead from Bryan spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morehead.

Mrs. R. Lester Richey and baby, Jim, arrived Thursday from Beaumont for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Crenshaw from Union Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crenshaw.

The Methodist revival will begin at Steep Hollow July 4. The first two days of the meeting will be given as a missionary rally, during which Rev. D. H. Hotchkiss, pastor from Navasota will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Martin and children from Bryan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. English Sunday.

R. L. Buchanan left Monday on a business trip to Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conlee and Mrs. Edmonds from Bryan visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vandiver Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ima Cook spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

TABOR.
Tabor, July 3.—It is getting real dry again but we think we shall have a rain soon as it came very near raining this afternoon. We are glad to have a change from the unusual warm weather to a nice cool breeze.

The ladies are busy canning vegetables and fruits. Vegetables of all kinds are very plentiful this year while fruits are somewhat scarce.

Douglas Broach is home from a visit to Corsicana.
Eugene Sample and family from Crockett have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Rudisill.

Miss Eva Tullos, Miss Turner and Will Hair visited Miss Lovil Nichols Sunday.

Rev. Phillips preached at Alexander Sunday night.
Tabor went over the top in buying thrift stamps.
Mrs. Ralph Rudisill has a letter from her brother, Herbert Smith, who is in France now. He says he is all right.

POSTMASTER HAD TO GET MORE STAMPS TO SUPPLY THE DEMAND

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Postmaster Lawrence says they nearly cleaned him out of war savings stamps Saturday. He placed a stock of \$40,000 on hand for use in Bryan and Brazos county rural postoffices and disposed of about \$32,000 worth Saturday. Of this amount \$24,000 worth were sold for cash at this office and \$8000 went to the rural postoffices. He has received an additional supply of \$35,000 worth so that he expects to meet the demand. If he can get them in any amount the local demand may require within 24 hours' notice.

FIVE REGISTERED AS ENEMY ALIEN WOMEN AT BRYAN POST OFFICE

From Thursday's Daily Eagle
At the close yesterday of the period for the registration of alien enemy women, Postmaster Lawrence here had gone through the process for five German ladies, four of whom were born in the province of Posen, Germany. Three of them, at least, can not write either English or German, and signed their registration blanks with their marks and their thumb prints.

One of them was born in Posen, Germany, Dec. 27, 1886, and landed at Galveston in September, 1889, when she was not quite three years old. She married and has seven children, none of whom is old enough yet for the draft, one sister and five brothers living in this section, one of whom is in the United States army.

Another was born in Posen Sept. 4, 1879, and arrived at Galveston in December, 1890. She has six children, none within the draft age, and two brothers resident in this county. Her husband had applied for citizenship. She can speak English and German, but can write neither.

A third one was born in Posen Sept. 25, 1857, arrived at Galveston June 9, 1869, was married here and her husband, now dead, told her that he was a citizen of this country but she has been unable to find any records. She has five daughters, two brothers and two sisters, most of them in this country. She speaks German and English but can write neither.

The fourth one was also born in Posen, on Nov. 10, 1858, and landed at Galveston in May, 1891. She is a widow without children. Her husband took out naturalization papers. She speaks English and German but is unable to write either.

The fifth one registered was previously mentioned. All were required to furnish photos of themselves and give their full finger prints for both hands.

No reports from the other postoffices in the county as to the number of women registered, have been received.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the welfare of Ruby Lee Wheeler, Geo. Ewell Wheeler, Chas. Teresk Wheeler, Egebert Imaree Wheeler, Monck Wheeler and Florence Edge Wheeler, minors, M. S. Edge has filed in the county court of Brazos county an application for letters of guardianship of the persons and estate of the above children which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July, A. D. 1918, at the court house there, in the city of Bryan, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court July 15, A. D. 1918.
H. O. FERGUSON,
Clerk County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders there should also be a bottle of Me-strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 60c. Sold by M. H. James.

THREE OFF FOR WAR.

Carl E. Morgan, Frank Conrad and Joe Wehrman will leave on the I. & B. N. train tonight for Camp Mabry, Austin, for training in the auto mechanics school there.

Five men are to go from here to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Thursday.

666 cures headaches, biliousness, loss of appetite, or that tired aching feeling due to malaria or colds. Fine tonic.

SERVICE SERVICE

This is something that the car owners have been looking for and we are now able to give you.
Mr. Will Neddalek, well known throughout the county as a most efficient mechanic, is now in charge of our shops and asks that you give him a trial and let his work speak for itself.

Yours for Service,
EDGE AUTOMOBILE CO.

LIKE AN ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells why a corn is so painful and says cutting makes them grow.

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which gives you a shock. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of frezzone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug frezzone is harmless and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. Adv.

SUCCESSFUL REVOLT IN AUSTRIA IS NOT HOPED FOR IN PARIS

(By Associated Press)
Paris, June 27.—Austria is in serious difficulties but there is great danger in hoping too much from them, says the French official summary. Little hope is seen in the possibility of a successful revolt. It says Austria can not negotiate a separate peace and it would be bad to extend a hand to her now.

"It is admitted in responsible circles," the summary says, "that the situation in Austria is grave but it is great danger for the allies to over estimate the consequences. Austria has allies who could easily provide troops to re-establish order if revolts should occur."

MRS. ECHOLS DEAD; BORN AND RAISED IN BRAZOS.

From Monday's Daily Eagle
Mrs. George H. Echols, one of the oldest native inhabitants of Brazos county, died at her home near Rosprim this morning at 1:30 o'clock. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock, with interment in the City cemetery. The remains will be brought from Rosprim and the services held in the cemetery here. They will be conducted by Dr. E. W. Solomon of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Echols was born in this county April 22, 1858, thus making her 60 years, two months and 13 days of age. She has always lived in the county, married here to Mr. Echols, who himself is an old timer, having come here when a mere lad. They have no surviving children. Mr. Echols and a brother who lives in East Texas, being the relatives left. She was a Hassell, whose nephew, Frank, was here Thursday of last week and delivered a lecture in the Colonial theater.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the estates of Mrs. Maggie L. Lawless, deceased, E. R. Lloyd and M. B. Pastors, has filed in the county court of Brazos county an application for the probate of the last will and testament:

Maggie L. Lawless, deceased, and letters testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July, A. D. 1918, at the court house thereof, in the city of Bryan, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not but have you then and there before said court this writ, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the seal of said court July 15, A. D. 1918.
H. O. FERGUSON,
Clerk County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders there should also be a bottle of Me-strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 60c. Sold by M. H. James.

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OF THE 246 WOMEN WHO REGISTER OVER HALF FROM BRYAN

Were the primary election to be held tomorrow and the women all vote who have registered the Bryan vote would control the county as far as the women are concerned. It is clear that the women of the city precincts, Nos. 10 and 11, have registered in greater numbers than in all the remainder of the county and they of precinct 11 are far ahead of precinct 10. This may be the result solely of convenience, as the court house is located in precinct 11, and it is easier for the women to go there than it is other women. Then, too, they may be more enthusiastically in favor of equal suffrage as many of the most prominent leaders in that cause reside in precinct 11.

No deputies to visit the rural precincts have been authorized in this county but it is being considered under the rather indefinite authority of Attorney General Looney, who says there is nothing in the law against it, and nothing authorizing it, for that matter. Some county collectors are sending out deputies. Up to date, however, the court house is the only place where they may register. The registration books will be closed July 12. All women are urged to register whether or not they expect to vote. Registration this year costs nothing but in future years poll tax must be paid to enable a woman to vote.

Those who have registered are as follows:

Precinct 1—Mrs. Vada E. Simpson, Mrs. P. H. Arrington.
Precinct 2—Mrs. G. R. Dixon, Miss Lucile Graham, Miss Mina Graham, Mrs. E. D. Carl, Mrs. Geo. B. Hensarling, Mrs. W. B. Barron, Mrs. J. M. Atkins, Mrs. Altha Todd, Mrs. J. H. Atkins.

Precinct 3—Mrs. F. W. Hensel, Willie Davis Thomas, Miss F. Neale, Mrs. Howard M. Eliot, Mrs. F. C. Bottom, Mrs. John C. Burns.

Precinct 4—Mrs. M. W. Sims, Jr., Precinct 5—Mrs. C. M. Risinger, Mrs. W. H. Cargill, Mrs. I. M. Cook, Mrs. R. E. Jones, Mrs. H. F. Todd.

Precinct 6—Mrs. Geo. Jones, Miss Nannie Slaughter, Mrs. Linnie Riley, Miss Nora Lawless.

Precinct 7—Mrs. Marvin Elliott, Precinct 8—Mrs. V. T. Echols.

Precinct 10—Mrs. C. V. Wheeler, Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Louise Barr, Mrs. Minnie Smith, Mrs. J. J. Ray, Miss Zonnie Seale, Mrs. R. J. Hunniet, Mrs. John Soussars, Mrs. Della Wooten, Viola Meyers, Ruth Cannon, Mary E. Warmoth, Ava Reese, Bess Baird, Roland Hood, Mrs. Minnie Estill, Mrs. Lola B. Ellis, Mrs. Pearl Martindale, Miss Martha Gillespie.

Precinct 11—Mrs. Alma Robinson, Nannie Simpson, Mrs. Mattie E. Hanna, Mrs. J. G. Leutwyler, Mrs. Geo. R. Shaw, Miss Ollie Hawes, Mrs. D. J. Jolly, Mrs. A. E. Crawford, Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mrs. Josie A. Lawrence, Mrs. Mattie Webb, Mrs. W. S. Barron, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan, Miss Daisy Lee, Mrs. M. C. Creed, DeWitt Graham, Miss Jessie Kate Lyon, Mrs. H. O. Boatwright, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Miss Ruth Boatwright, Miss Maude Creed, Mrs. T. O. Gotcher, Mrs. M. Hetty Curry, Mrs. J. W. Hunniet, Mrs. Don T. Griswold, Mrs. Hettie D. Gainer, Mrs. F. W. Yeager, Mrs. Bessie Lawrence, Mrs. Dona Johnson, Mrs. W. S. Wilson, Jr., Mrs. Dona Carnes, Mrs. M. F. Dansby, Mrs. Carrie C. Gibbs, Mrs. Lottie Bullock, Mrs. Henry Locke, Mrs. C. E. Walton, Grace Morgan, Bessie Seale Benbow, Mrs. Edna Tobias, Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, Miss Cornelia Simpson, Mrs. E. E. Parks, Mrs. Eugene Edge, Mrs. J. H. Conway, Mrs. J. F. Parks.

Those not previously reported are as follows:
Mrs. M. E. Keith, precinct 6; Mrs. Orphie Henderson, precinct 6; Mrs. J. H. Wilson, precinct 10; Mrs. Gladys B. Dowling, precinct 2; Mrs. E. U. Peters, precinct 5; Miss Lena Henry Todd, precinct 5; Miss Tommie Todd, precinct 5; Miss Willie Weedon, precinct 5; Mrs. C. H. Mathis, precinct 6; Miss Annie Dearing, precinct 11; Mrs. John M. Lawrence, precinct 11; Mrs. Lee Mike, precinct 11; Mrs. H. C. Fulgham, precinct 11; Miss Essie Jones, precinct 5; Miss Lola Jones, precinct 6; Mrs. F. L. Henderson, precinct 6; Mrs. A. M. Rhodes, precinct 10; Miss Rowena Rhodes, precinct 10; Mrs. W. S. Howell, precinct 11; Miss Gertrude C. Ware, precinct 11; Mrs. Annie Ware, precinct 11; Mrs. W. E. Davenport, precinct 11; Mrs. Alice M. Kyles, precinct 3; Mrs. C. L. Baker, precinct 10.

Precinct 2—Mrs. Mary L. Williams, Mrs. C. C. Cooper.
Precinct 2—Mrs. A. G. Newby, Mrs. R. M. Dansby, Mrs. Inez Barron, Mrs. T. J. Harroll, Mrs. L. V. Williams, Mrs. J. A. Gandy.

Precinct 3—Mrs. Lotus Youngblood, Mrs. Nettie Conner, Mrs. B. L. Broyles, Mrs. Emma Fountain Martindale, Mrs. Emma Fountain, Mrs. Ella A. Humbert, Miss Grace Gandy.

Precinct 5—Mrs. Alice Cole, Miss Sunshine Cole, Mrs. M. E. Jones.
Precinct 5—Mrs. Lola Raines.

Precinct 8—Miss Sallie Hanover, Miss Ruth Hanover.

Precinct 10—Mrs. S. M. Cross, Miss Adela Dodson, Mrs. E. B. Holland, Mrs. J. G. McHancey, Mrs. A. S. Ware, Mrs. Eliza B. Roberts, Mrs. A. J. Wagner, Mrs. J. Coulter Smith, Mrs. M. E. Reynolds, Mrs. Frank Fridel, Mrs. J. A. Buckhaults, Mrs. I. N. Broadway, Mrs. Eula Boggs, Mrs. Mabel Board Hoyle, Mrs. Mills P. Walker, Mrs. Anna A. Berryman, Mrs. Wm. L. Powers, Miss Allie Conway, Miss Bertha Bell, Miss Lucy Brogdon.

Precinct 11—Miss Lillie Barron, Miss Wena Weddington, Miss Alice Weddington, Mrs. Emma Spell, Mrs. Mary E. Barron, Miss Lillian Beau-

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a result there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHUBTONE given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

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